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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 3663  
PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 07057.0073

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Takanori KUROKAWA et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3663  
Application No.: 10/802,815 ) Examiner: H. C. Le  
Filed: March 18, 2004 ) Confirmation No.: 5868  
For: PRESS MOLDING DIE AND ) Mail Stop AF  
MANUFACTURING METHOD OF )  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed September 7, 2006, and pursuant to  
37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.

**Attachments** to this Amendment including an English translation of  
DE 199 38 452.